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NOW that the grain shipments have started, there are a number of transactions to be taken care of for you. The Bank of Hamilton is particularly well equipped to look after all this detail in a thoroughly efficient manner.

## BANK OF HAMILTON

Champion Branch, W. K. Anderson, Manager.

## Insurance!

**Fire, Life, Automobile and Accident.**

### Farm Loans & Conveyancing

We are at your service in all the above Departments and solicit your business.

**FARMERS**—Investigate a Confederation Life policy combining Protection and Investment in an unique way. It costs nothing to inquire. See H. Cooper, Agent.

**Smith Bros., Mark & Cooper.**

## Big Reduction in Lard!

**Fresh Caught Fish  
Now In**

**Champion Meat Market**  
T. GILL & SONS, PROPRIETORS

## Re-Opened

**The Champion Garage**  
(UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT)

General Automobile & Tractor Repair Work  
Heated Storage and Battery Service.  
We respectfully solicit your patronage.

**J. FISHER E. APPLEBY**

**U. F. A. ENTERTAINMENT  
AND DANCE**  
To be held in MARK'S HALL, CHAMPION,  
**Wedn'y Ev'g, Feb. 16th.**

The Programme will include the Moving Picture "Co-operative Marketing of Live Stock," a short address by Mr. M. W. Molyneaux, of the U. G. G., and music, recitations, etc., to be followed by the biggest dancing event of the year.

**A LAP LUNCH WILL BE SERVED  
EVERYONE WELCOME**

## Look This Over!

### We are Starting a Second-Hand Implement Exchange!

Where you can bring your second-hand Drills, Plows, Mowers, Rakes, Cultivators, Engines, Pump Jacks, Binders, Wagons or any other article of Farm Machinery and have them sold for you.

### Come In and Talk It Over.

Time to think about that FANNING MILL isn't it? We have the Best. Dual A and B Mills or Standard

How about that NEW DRILL this Spring? There is an increase in price but we are still in the business.

### We Boost the Best Repair Service.

### DEPUE BROS. & COMPANY

Miss Nickawa

Entertains

Women's Institute.

Miss Nickawa, the Cross Indian entertainer, scored a veritable triumph in Mark's hall on Wednesday evening, the big crowd present voicing the unanimous opinion that she eclipsed any elocutionist heard here or elsewhere. The local part of the programme was also of special merit, so that a perfectly pleased audience wended its happy way homeward at the conclusion.

#### The Programme.

Music.....Mrs. M. Sisson  
Recital.....Miss Nickawa  
(a) Dot Baby of Mine -  
(b) A Few Bars in the Key of G.  
Song.....Mr. G. M. Campbell  
Recital.....Miss Nickawa

(Riders of the Plains  
(b) Kentucky Babe.  
(c) Settin' a Hen.

Duet.....Mrs. A. S. Roberts  
Mrs. R. I. Starr

Recital.....Miss Nickawa  
(a) The Party.

(b) INTERMISSION  
Part II-In Costume.

Recital.....Miss Nickawa  
(a) The Song My Paddle Sings  
(The Great Grey Archway.

Duet.....Mrs. A. S. Roberts  
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Recital.....Miss Nickawa

Music.....Mrs. M. Sisson  
Recital.....Miss Nickawa

"The Cattle Thief."  
GOD SAVE THE KING.

**A Suggestion  
Re Streets**

A well-known farmer of Champion suggests that Champion could with decided benefit follow an example set by Cardston. Recently, with the aid of the farmers in the vicinity, 3,500 loads of gravel were put on the streets without any expense to the town. Our informant is of the opinion that the farmers in this vicinity would willingly contribute similar assistance in order to fix this village up with streets on which mud could not be found. The suggestion is well worthy of consideration.

Two rinks skipped by B. Hummel and A. Orr visited Carmangay on Monday afternoon and played a friendly game with the curlers there. However, won from J. H. Snyder by a score that wiped out a deficiency in Orr's score and left the Champion rink winners in the aggregate. The trip was thoroughly enjoyed by the visitors.

Note the prices quoted in the Mayor Granlin Co's advt. They are worthy of attention.

At the regular meeting of the W. I. held last Tuesday, many complimentary remarks were made about the enjoyable program. Mr. Oliver was present with the lantern slides and the pictures were both educational and entertaining. We were delighted to see such a large attendance of the women and hope the interest in the Institute increases as the months go by. Each month we are to be favored with pictures, in March, it will be pictures of Alberta, in this way our knowledge of the country in which we live will be broadened, as every month we study a new province in the Dominion of Canada.

Miss L. M. Groves will give the address on March 8th, "The Community as a Social Center." Kindly keep the date in mind and we hope for a still larger attendance.

Mrs. Barney Hummel our secretary is elected delegate to represent the Champion W.I. at the District Conference which is to be held in Taber on March 22nd and 23rd.

At this meeting a copy of the auditors report was read. During the year the Champion W. I. have raised \$551.00.

\$500.00 was voted to Rev. J. W. Oliver to help pay for his Lectures which we are pleased to have in the community and which gives a weekly entertainment to the church for which no admission is charged but a silver collection is asked to help defray the expense.

Remember the Valentine

Dance on Monday Feb. 14, in

Gambrell's Hall. Good music,

and a good time assured.

Mrs. B. Hummel is convenor.

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## Governments as Business Concerns

(Second Article)

In last week's article under the above heading attention was directed to the large experiments now being carried on by the Dominion Government in the ownership and management of a great railway system, with the largest mileage under one control in the world, and of an ocean-going mercantile marine consisting of scores of vessels plying to ports throughout the world. In like manner, many business enterprises in which Provincial Governments in Canada are engaged.

While some experiments in the management of undertakings which may be regarded as commercial had been made by Provincial Governments, it was not until the creation of the new Provinces in the Prairie West that anything remarkable and on a large scale was attempted. The new Provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta had scarcely been inaugurated, however, before the Government of the Dominion had decided to take steps to extend the telephone system. This demand developed almost simultaneously in all three Prairie Provinces. With the exception of the exchanges in the larger cities, like Winnipeg and Calgary, the telephone systems were meager, unimportant and with no great investment of money involved. In this respect the situation was entirely different from that prevailing in the older Provinces, where a comparatively small investment, therefore, was available for Western governments to buy out the existing private companies and commence the work of creating and extending Government-owned and operated systems.

There were not lacking people who predicted disaster, but with the experience of older countries to guide them, and possibly also because Western men are not quite so conservative and belligerent by nature, there were a few voices raised in alarm at the time which said "such a plan would be a monopoly, should be owned by the people." The experiment was undertaken, and experience has demonstrated its wisdom. No part of Canada, and with the possible exception of some parts of the United States, no country in the world enjoys a more extended or successful telephone service, nor a cheaper service, than the people of the three Canadian Prairie Provinces.

The telephone in Alberta the service is wholly Government-owned and operated, but in Saskatchewan the Government owns and operates all the exchanges and long distance lines, while the rural party lines are owned by co-operative companies of the people directly concerned, assisted by the Government, and connected with the Government lines and as an integral part of the whole Provincial system. Some people hold the view that the Manitoba and Alberta plan is better than either the Saskatchewan plan, both are giving good service, and the public is receiving the results. Perhaps, and it is only to be hoped that under the Saskatchewan plan the tension of rural lines has been more rapid, and the service equally as cheap and good, as in the neighboring Provinces. No one would even suggest a return to the old privately-owned systems which are still in vogue in other Provinces, especially as each of the three Government systems are linked together, and thus provide the advantages of interprovincial service which no large company could afford.

In Ontario two large enterprises of a business nature have been undertaken, and both appear to be rendering splendid service to the public at reasonable rates and not causing financial embarrassment to the Government of that Province. First and foremost is the Hydro-Electric whereby the Provincial Government, working in conjunction with the municipalities, developed the Niagara Falls and other water powers, and transmits it throughout the Province. The various municipalities buying the energy in bulk and distributing it to users within their respective municipalities. The development and extension of the Hydro system in Ontario is working an industrial revolution in that Province.

Ontario's second business undertaking is the Government railway which taps the far northern mining and lumbering sections of the Province and extends from the Great Lakes to the Arctic. It is a most important agency in the development of the rich mineral resources of Ontario, has added to the settlement of many thousands of acres of land, and has added enormously to the wealth of the Province and Dominion.

There are other business aspects to the work of Provincial Governments, particularly in the Western Provinces, but, as they are not under direct Government ownership and operation, a consideration of these other matters will be deferred for a future article.

## No Open Door To Oil Fields

Mounted Police Will Guard Every Route to the North.

The only way to get into the north during the coming spring and summer, by any route, will be to qualify for, obtain and carry a permit issued from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. There will be no such thing as looking passage without them, and there will be no open door into the oil country on any other terms.

No flag of truce or signal will be permitted to leave for the Mackenzie territory without clearing the police or without each of its passengers being certified by a medical officer as physically and mentally fit to make the trip.

## Catching a Halibut.

The halibut feeds on the bottom of the sea, and when hooked permits itself to be drawn toward the top without very much protest. The struggle commences the instant its nose comes in contact with the hook, and the ability of a fight is anticipated by a hard blow on the head. This blow must be sure and hard, for if there is any compassion for the fish it is as good as gone, as any opportunity to struggle means its escape.

Wheat Winston Thinks.

Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill on proposed British Trade with Bolshevik Russia: "It has yet to be proved that it was more of an adventure to seek to overthrow the Bolshevik Government than to seek to live side by side with it."—Sunday Chronicle, London.

The blossom of the wattle, a tree of the gum family, has been adopted as Australia's national flower.

## The Witness Stand.

"The gentleman says he killed you in the dark because he thought you were his wife."

"On your oath, was it not possible for him to make an honest mistake?"

"Yes, but it wasn't that sort of a kiss,"—Judge.

## Healthful-Satisfying—"There's a Reason"

Minard's Liniment For Diphtheria.

**"HEALING IN EVERY TOUCH"**  
**Zam-Buk**

In Burns, Scalds, Cold-Sores

and all skin disease or injury you can imagine.

Zam-Buk is a pure, antiseptic

herbal ointment, with astringent

and medicinal action on the skin.

The results it is altogether different to those of ordinary ointments.

Zam-Buk safeguards you against

blood-poison and skin-disease.



## An Infant Prodigy.

Uroco Corma, of Catalonia, Spain, aged 3 years, who plays the piano with extraordinary skill, is the latest attraction at aristocratic tea parties in the Spanish capital. The boy, usually a playmate of his parents on the piano stool, wherupon he begins his performance without any trace of nervousness.

**Bad Breath  
IS CAUSED BY  
CATARRH**

Canadians suffer more from Catarrh than from any other disease. On the average, Catarrh is the cause of all the colds and should be checked at the outset. It is necessary to take internal medicine to combat Catarrh. There is a far better method.

Doctors now treat Catarrh by removing the germs of Catarrh through the breathing organs. In this way the germs of Catarrh are destroyed.

The only successful vapor treatment is **CATARROXINE**, which the patient breathes through a special tube to the rear seat of the throat.

The rich, pungent essences of Catarroxine help and soothe all inflamed surfaces, throat and lungs with a powerful antiseptic that destroys irritation.

Catarroxine brings into the system the balmy air of the pine forest, the pure, life-giving air of the sea, catarrh, weak throat and bronchitis.

Once tried, Catarroxine is always chosen again. It is a safe, simple, safe, so quick to relieve and especially sure to permanently help. Accept no substitutes. Large size, \$1.00; small size, \$0.50; sample trial size, 25¢, at all dealers.

**Strike Of Free Gold**

Samples of Ore Reach The Pas From Herb Lake.

A strike of free gold in the shaft at the Herb Lake mine, 10 miles from the town of Pas, at a depth of 245 feet, is reported. Samples of the ore show the gold striking through garnets.

The vein measures close to four feet in width and there has been little difficulty in getting out the coarse of sinking, but nothing to compare with this latest discovery.

The importance of this new finding lies in the fact that it gives proof of gold enrichment at depth.

**WELL SATISFIED WITH  
BABY'S OWN TABLETS**

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she is satisfied with nothing else. Her love of them leads her to believe it is the only medicine to equal any for the many minor ailments of childhood.

Mrs. Holmeyer, East Alton, Que., writes: "My baby was terribly constipated, and after giving him the tablets he is entirely well again. I am so well satisfied with the Tablets that I have ordered more and am sending them to other mothers."

The Tablets are made by medicine from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## A Profitable Business.

In the swamps of Florida the hunting of "bee trees" is a profitable business. Record of wild honey deposits of more than 300 pounds in hollow trees has been noted. The trees are often broken by hunters who follow the flight of the bees. It requires keen eyesight and a compass.

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Trip To The Moon  
Rocket to Reach Moon to be Tried  
Out This Summer.

First trials of the rocket which it is hoped will reach the moon will be held early this summer, it is announced by Prof. Robert W. Goddard, of Clark University, the inventor. It will be designed so it will give off a flash when it strikes that will be seen from the earth.

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herbal ointment, with astringent

and medicinal action on the skin.

The results it is altogether differ-

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It will give off a rocket weight

of 25 pounds a rocket weighing

25 pounds will be necessary. Of

the total weight about 17 pounds will be

lost in fuel.

He calculates that with an ini-

tial mass weighing 6,436 pounds we

could cause an explosion large enough

to be seen from the earth through a

telescope. This rocket will travel

6,000 or 7,000 feet a second.

It is the ordinary processes of nature

which interest him.

They would extract themselves

at the proper time.

Normally the roots are absorbed as the

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permanent teeth and the growth

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ing to the gums. Some day a little

extra pressure removes the baby

tooth and in its place there is the tip

of the cusp of the permanent tooth

that follows. The natural system

is followed, a great deal of trouble

would be avoided.

Unfortunately, many causes operate to inter-

fere with nature's perfect plan.

If the permanent tooth does not

come correctly after the temporary

one, then absorption of the temporary

tooth is either incomplete or it will not

absorb at all. Sometimes long slivers

of the temporary tooth roots are left

and when the crown comes off or

attempt is made to extract, the root

picks up the bone tissue.

This condition also results in in-

flammation, sometimes causes serious

abcesses, and often interferes with

the effort of the permanent tooth to

take its proper place in the arch.

Pieces of the roots of temporary

teeth should never be left in the

mouth.

Temporary teeth that are abscesses

should always be removed regardless

of the age of the child.

When these teeth are lost before the time for their permanent replacement, the child should be fitted with a temporary tooth, a retainer, an appliance must be

made to hold the space so that the

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In nearly every case it is

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Never allow a child to suffer any pain if

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**"Oral Hygiene" Lay Education Series  
"YOUR TEETH"**

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**"Here Comes  
The Bride!"**

Everybody likes her, well!

And radiant she starts out

on life's adventure.

She healthily begins with

health and begins with

age, but upon health.

You never see a good-looking

woman who is weak run-down

or sickly.

Her hair is soft, shiny and

silky, her skin is smooth and

radiant. Her complexion is

clear, her eyes are bright and

sparkling, her smile is sweet and

charming, her laugh is musical and

ringing, her voice is clear and

melodic, her gait is graceful and

graceful, her walk is light and

graceful, her step is light and

graceful, her deportment is

graceful, her bearing is graceful,

her manner is graceful, her

manners are graceful, her

## Rebellion Days, 1884-85

By O-G-E-MAS-ES (Little Cirk).

(Copyrighted)

The winter of 1884-5 was my first experience as a free trader. I had located with my family close to the forks of Stony Creek, now in the Melfort district. On account of high prices in Prince Albert, I had made a trip to Fort Qu'Appelle (some 250 miles) and purchased a small trading post there under the Hudson's Bay Company at that point.

Some two miles to the south of my location was an H. B. C. wintering post, also two French half-breeds traders, one of whom was the well-known Xavier Bachee, from whom the Indians got their name for the first genuine white settler to locate here, some of the Indians were violently opposed to this intrusion on their hunting grounds, and on two occasions armed parties of these were sent to my post.

Well I remember my first interview with the Kitinist band. I was looking over a line of traps I had on the east fork of the creek. It was a cold, dark, cold night.

I was homeless and had just

run down the bank of the creek to look at a mink trap, and to my joy here was a big fellow. I at once knocked him on the head and put him in my hunting bag which by this was nearly full of mink skins.

I was carrying a son "The South Wind," came from his bed and as usual asked at once for news, and I could see he was excited and had heard no doubts much more than words.

After a short chat, I gathered they had been fighting at Duck Lake, in which regard said the whites were defeated. His father

did not wholly credit this, so sent him in to me for further news.

But as I was about to go up the ladder (old Kitinist himself) I held out my hand with the usual "Wa-ches, Wa-ches." He took no notice, but in an angry voice, and speaking to Santeaux, said:

"What have you done with that bag?"

I remained silent, and again asked the question, "What have you in that bag?"

In reply I up-ended it. The contents were our beaver, which had brought in his budget, dried fish and mink skins, of which I was still dangling in my hand.

The scene was a wild one. The Indians were all big men and their blankets and loose leggings made them look like big babies, while with scat and gruff, pointed fingers, with all sorts of fire of them carrying repeating Winchester rifles. I had not much of a chance if it came to a racket, and their looks were hostile enough.

Now the old man, who was a great shot, pointing at the game, he said: "Don't you realize that you have stolen these furs; that you are a stranger and a trespasser here, with your white face."

Go away and go quick, or we will happen to you." And so off he went.

He was rapidly going down and I was some ten miles from home, so stopping down and gathering up my furs, I said: "Grandfather, I am sorry to tell you that I have been shot."

He said: "Well, the distance is great, and you are not far from home, so go home."

So out I went and after riding slowly for a little distance, glanced back and saw they were following.

After a night at the house of two good people, I was able to shake off a little and began to talk.

His wife had opened her heart to our girl and verified the Indian news about the Duck Lake fight.

They both claimed had been started by the whites, and he further went on to say: "We are the ones who are to blame."

At the same time the German General, who is the first to be called a friend, and I could be called a friend only.

In the meantime I had made some friends amongst the Indians, especially with O-so-win-is-su (The South Wind) and his band. We had been to the south some distance, one of his sons who was very ill on consumption.

The old man and I found we were connected in the Indian way, as Ki-say-the-nah in the Poco Mountain was his Cha-Cha-Wow as we are named. Therefore, as poor as we are, a few tons and we are friendly. Some Nut-Sabts came in to trade during the winter, and I found them a rule a saucy disagreeable bunch with a bad reputation; as

(To be continued.)

### First Entry in Cross-Atlantic Race.

New York.—The first entry for the trans-Atlantic race, which will be held by King Albert, Belgium, has received from Professor Walter F. Clayton, of St. Johns College, Annapolis, Md. The Sista, Clayton entry, the smallest yacht ever entered in a cross-ocean race, has a waterline of 45 feet, a 15 foot beam and draws only 5 feet of water.

### Honor For Divine Sarah.

Paris.—The promotion of Sarah Bernhardt to the office of the Legion of Honor will be announced shortly. The promotion will be in recognition of the famous actress' work in encouraging French art abroad.

### Disapprove Lifting Cattle Embargo.

London.—The Royal Agricultural Society has decided to oppose the Canadian Conference to be held in London, on the question of the embargo on Canadian cattle and postpone the proposal to withdraw the re-

### Condemns Eggs From China.

Calgary.—The influx of Chinese eggs into Canada is proving a menace to home industry, according to Dr. S. F. Tolmie, minister of agriculture.

### Reported Visit by Princess Mary.

Ottawa.—No word has been received here of a reported visit to Canada by Princess Mary next fall.

### For Vice-Royalty of Canada



Vice-count Bismarck, the latest to be associated with the position of Governor-General of Canada. He is a newspaper proprietor and headed the delegation of journalists from Britain to the Dominion last year.

### Express Rates Boosted

Rates Increase Granted in Judgment  
Handed Down by Railway  
Commission.

Ottawa.—The Railway Commission, covering some 27 typewritten pages, grants to Canadian express companies an increase of 35 per cent. on first class rates, 25 per cent. on second class rates, 20 per cent. on commodity rates, including principally, cream, fish and fruit.

The judgment which is concurred in by all the commissioners who sat in the case was written by Chief Commissioner J. C. Carson. In addition to the increase mentioned above, it provides that the rate on all spirituous liquors in the future is to be increased to first class. The carriage differential on non-parcage rates has been eliminated, as well as a result express charges will be the same at all points, whether city, town or country.

### To Eliminate Overlapping

Close Co-operation to be Established  
By Governments on Farming  
Question.

Ottawa.—Overlapping in the work of provincial governments in the elimination and closer co-operation established through an agreement reached at a conference of representatives of these departments, according to the report of the Minister of Agriculture for the past March 31, 1920.

Production advocacy, it was agreed at the conference, is to be carried on through provincial activities while marketing and experimental work are to be carried on by the federal department, and the arrangements to the contrary are deemed wise.

### Huns Will Be There

British Confident That Germans Will Come to London Council.

London.—Invitations to Germany to attend the Allied Senate conference will be distributed in a few days, and the British officials do not consider the possibility of Germany refusing to attend. They declare it would be only worse for Germany if she did not come.

The Senate Council fully expects German protests on the reparations announcement but as a matter of fact, the protests are not as great as anticipated in view of the objections taken by Germany at the time of the peace conference.

### Manitoba Takes Butter Championship

Winnipeg—Manitoba carried off the interprovincial butter-making championship at the creamery contest, which is one of the features of the annual convention of the Western Dairy Association and held interest at present being held.

### Six Vacancies.

Ottawa.—The death of Senator McSweeney will make the ninth senatorial vacancy. The vacancies are now: British Columbia, 2; Alberta, 1; Saskatchewan, 2; Ontario, 2; New Scotia, 1; and New Brunswick, 1.

### Liqueur Act Prosecutions.

Calgary.—In his annual report, Chief of Police Ritchie comments upon the numerous infractions of the liquor act during the past year. The liquor act, he explained, of their poverty, was that they started out with a pony which drowded while crossing a river and they lost their effects.

(To be continued.)

Washington.—President Wilson, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, recently attended a theatre for the first time he was taken ill over a year ago.

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### Crerer Receives Endorsement

Saskatchewan Grain Growers Give Farmer Leader Enthusiastic Reception.

Moose Jaw.—The Saskatchewan Grain Growers Association enthusiastically endorsed the address of Hon. T. A. Crerer, in federal politics, following his address before the session of the annual convention. The resolution endorsed, promised the support of the association to the New Nationalist and of the Farmers' Protection Party, and the farmers approved the choice of Mr. Crerer as leader.

Mr. Crerer received an ovation as he arose before the chairman, J. A. Macrae, president of the association, and received him as the next Premier of Canada.

Dolegas gave him three cheers and a tiger. Commencing his address he thanked the delegates for the reception tendered him. His subject was "The Canadian Farmer." He told them he had been returning to his home to the development of the farmer's association in politics and paid tribute to pioneers in the movement. The provincial political organization has caused Dominion-wide concern, he said, and the movement, in the field of national politics, the association is faced with many new problems. He referred first to the railway problem, which he said was one of the most important demanding consideration. This problem involved enormous amounts of grain and hundreds of miles of track laid.

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Immigrants should be entitled along the government lines to build up business.

Government activities in regard to immigration are to be expanded, he declared. A different policy must be followed, and immigrants who can go on the land should be encouraged.

Immigrants, he continued, must be taught the principles of good citizenship and past practices must be followed, and government must be raised and he added:

"We don't want any more warlike elections again."

Discussing the tariff, he referred to the policy of the present Government, which while it tends to a self-contained country, is advocated by a government which is sending its trade commissioners soliciting trade to all parts of the world. The population of Canada, he said, is too small to meet anything it does with or to his campaign and one of them told his office as quickly as possible. The majority of them will not yield to Murray's campaign and are supporting the Grange.

Mr. Crerer said that many of the manufacturers were not in sympathy with the campaign, being now carried on by G. M. Murray to chloroform the Canadian press. "Some of them have been very good," he said, "but nothing can be carried on without gambling, it should be discontinued," he said.

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### Wilson Convenes Senate.

Washington.—President Wilson, acting on the recent request of President-de-facto Harding, has issued a proclamation calling a special session of the Senate to convene March 4. The session will act on cabinet and other appointments by Mr. Harding, and probably will last only a short time.

## Only Hope Is In National System Of Grain Marketing

### Stop Dependents' Money

Allotments to Wives and Families of Soldiers in Training Are Discontinued.

Ottawa.—The Soldier Settlement Board has decided to discontinue the payment of subsistence allowance to dependents of returned soldiers taking a course of training to qualify for a loan under the Soldier Settlement Act.

Among applications now being received are very few from totally inexperienced men, so that there does not seem to be any necessity to continue the allowances.

Beginning March 1, the board granted only to applicants who are recommended prior to that date who are actually commencing training under the supervision of the board before May 15.

### Alleged Boycott Campaign

G. F. Chapman, of the Grain Growers' Guide, Speaks of Campaign to Chloroform the Press.

Moore Jaw—Discussion of a number of controversies occupied considerable time at Thursday evening's session of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association.

Resolution No. 15 was made by Chapman for an interesting statement from G. F. Chapman, editor of The Grain Growers' Guide. The resolution reads:

"Whereas certain advertisers have withdrawn their advertisements from The Grain Growers' Guide and other newspapers, which have supported the New National Policy, and

"Whereas, this is an attempt at autocratic control of the Press of Canada by the advertisers and constitutes a challenge to our fundamental democratic principles."

"Therefore, be it resolved, that we pledge our support to those papers which support the New National Policy and to the manufacturers who advertise in them."

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initial division of the world the previous financial condition of Germany and her difficult situation."

If the various recommendations made are followed, the budget should

be "more balanced," says the report. With the continuation of German's economic policy, the experts declare that Germany, "at a relatively short period, can meet her treaty obligations through taxation without continuing to increase her existing debt or inflate her currency."

The report says that Germany's 1920 budget carried a number of credits which were partially disbursed, such as 16,500,000,000 marks for the allied armies of occupation, expenses of which only 30,000,000 marks were paid up to December 1, 1919.

Mr. Langley declared that, despite rumors to the contrary, complete amalgamation between the different provincial farmer organizations. He told the delegates that a united attempt is being made to hammer the price of wheat down and steal the farmers' crops in the west.

The group he said, is perhaps the greatest which has ever come before the farmers for settlement. The Wheat Board, he pointed out, was responsible for the originating of the movement, but the movement, he added, was never popular until it had been done away with.

Efforts have been made, he continued, to show that Saskatchewan is hanging back, although her men in the country who recognized the full value of the wheat crop.

He referred to the drop in wheat prices which resulted after the board had been discontinued and wheat had to be sold in the open market.

Farmers had held their wheat to stabilize the market but exports put large quantities of it on the market and when there should have been 35,000,000 bushels in the terminals at Winnipeg, there were 100,000,000 bushels. This defeated the main purpose of holding grain but the farmers continued to pay storage on grain which was held, he declared.

A little actual grain is being sold in the market at present, but millions of bushels are sold to hammer the market down and force the farmers to sell what they have in store.

Bogus wheat, he continued, is being sold, and the men interested are out to stem the grain market by storage.

The Federal Government, he said, could stop the robbery of the farmers by closing the grain market. The grain cannot be carried on without gambling, it should be discontinued, he said.

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THURSDAY, Feb. 10, 1921.

## The Weed Train.

In addition to the weed question, soil drifting, the cutworm and other problems confronting the farmer will be discussed by the author, accompanying the weed train. The time of year is propitious and every farmer in the district should make it a point to be in Champion and stay with the train as long as it remains on Friday, March 4. The amount of time required is small and it could not be better spent.

The Departments of Agriculture of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, together realizing the PRESSING SERIOUSNESS of the weed situation, have arranged to man and equip a Special Train to tour for six weeks—two weeks in each province. The train is supplied and operated at considerable expense through the generosity of the C. P. R. The itinerary of the train in Alberta is supplied herewith.

The train will be replete in its equipment to deal thoroughly with the whole weed question. There will be two lecture cars and one exhibition car with farm equipment and apparatus for demonstration. The very best propagators from the three provinces will be on hand. Grasshopper and cut worm control together with soil drifting troubles will also be thoroughly discussed.

The expense of equipping and operating this train will be considerable but if the meeting are well attended the benefit will repay all expenses many times over.

Weed control is one of the most vital, urgent and difficult matters with which agriculture of Alberta has to deal. Our annual loss through weeds is enormous; but at least part of the lost is quite preventable.

From a good farming standpoint even if your farm is weedy—the meetings will be very helpful.

The Department does not expect that all farmers will be either able or inclined to attend the Special but it does hope that EVERY REEVE, MUNICIPAL COUNCILLOR, WEED INSPECTOR—PAST AND PRESENT AND EVERY LEADING MAN WILL BE THERE. We wish to see the greatest possible attendance at every point.

In many cases the Councilors and Officers of a Municipality will be able to attend at the same time and place; and this is to be preferred but if this is impossible, they may attend at different points where the train stops. On the itinerary we have indicated the train stops where we believe the officers of your Municipality could most easily convene.

If you cannot drive to a train stop, perhaps you can reach a meeting by train. Come! Bring your suggestions; co-operative effort is necessary.

These meetings are for all—Women as well as men; but Farmers and Farmer's Sons should compose most of the audiences.

Come, and come early. See the schedule for exact hour when each meeting starts.

Your Truly,  
DUNCAN MARSHALL  
Minister of Agriculture.

## World Shortage of Meats

It is estimated that the world requires fifty billion pounds of meat annually and that while the population increased by 85,000,000, that is from 510,000,000 to 595,000,000 between the years 1911 to 1914, cattle, sheep and hogs combined only increased 40,000,000 that is from 1,050,000,000 to 1,190,000,000. This of

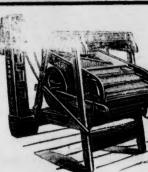
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No Open Season  
For Beaver

Edmonton, January 25th, 1921.

Sir:

It has been brought to my attention that owing to the fact that the schedule of taxes adopted by Order in Council, wherein a tax is required to be paid on all pelts of wild animals taken in the Province of Alberta and exported, that owing to the fact that beaver is mentioned among the pelts on which the tax is collectable that an impression has gained ground that the season has opened for trapping beaver.

I will be pleased to have you inform all persons with whom you may come in contact, and who may be interested in trapping or buying of pelts of wild animals that there is no open season for trapping beaver, that only where the applicants are doing damage on the lands of the applicant can they be taken and then only under permit from this department.

I am Sir, Your obedient servant,  
BENJ. LAWTON  
Chief Game Guardian.

Peterboro elected Gordon, liberal, by a majority of 1,200 over Denne, conservative. There were five candidates. This result may lead to an early general election.



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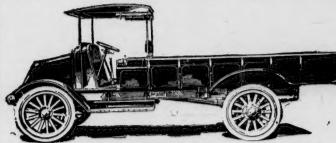
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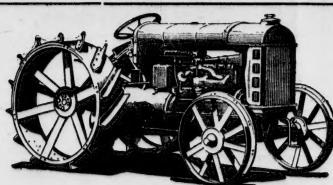
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### Local & General

Remember this date of the  
weed train—Friday, March 4th,  
at 2.30.

Mrs. Chas. McLean is in the  
Van Haaren hospital at Lethbridge.

Miss Casey, of Vulcan, visited  
with Mrs. H. Bradfield over the  
week end.

Owing to a drop in price of  
\$1.00 per hundred in cattle, J.  
O. Reid did not ship on Monday  
as he had intended.

There was still a final game in  
the single competition to be  
played between A. W. Jopling  
and J. Collins.

The smallpox epidemic in  
city of Montreal is practically  
at an end, declares Dr. Boucher,  
director of the municipal health.

Mrs. Ralph Smith was to  
have been the first woman  
speaker in a Canadian legislature but deflected to accept the position on the twelfth end.

W. C. Hoskins left for Calgar-  
on Monday morning. Before returning he will visit  
Oyen, Alta. looking after business interests there.

The curlers are wondering  
why the final in the single  
competitions is not played off.  
The suspicion is that one of the  
contenders is afraid and the other doesn't.

The constituency of Lakeside,  
Man., endorsed the Norris  
government by electing Hon.  
C. D. McPherson by a majority  
of 110 over his farmer opponent,  
Muir.

John Hanson returned from  
a trip to the coast this week.  
John says the climate at  
Vancouver does not compare  
with our own. Too much rain  
for anyone from Southern  
Alberta.

Mrs. J. F. Cassidy and family  
are visiting in Calgary.

A Lethbridge Herald repre-  
sentative was in town on Tues-  
day.

Note the sale advt. of  
Campbell's Ltd. You will find it interesting.

Bert Gill left for Calgary on  
Monday evening, some infec-  
tion having so far proved a  
failure, owing to the mild  
weather.

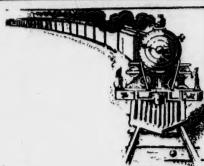
A bill to make it felony to  
bet on the outcome of a base-  
ball game has been introduced  
in the Minnesota house, and  
referred to a committee.

Percy Watson's rich won the  
pocket knife in the final game  
of the recent biennial, but only  
after playing thirteen strenuous  
ends with Barney Hummel's  
aggregation, the score being tied  
on the twelfth end.

Bill Matlock and Fred Clever  
were presented with special  
consolation knives by N.  
Cunningham in recognition of  
their desire for jewelry, and  
two have been busy exhib-  
iting these knives to their  
friends ever since.

Jack Doyle's birthday was  
celebrated by a surprise party  
attended by a number of friends  
from town and vicinity.

A very pleasant evening was  
spent cards and other games  
being indulged in. Among  
those present were, Mr. and  
Mrs. Horace Gill and family, Mr.  
and Mrs. Alex Orr and family,  
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brown, Mr.  
and Mrs. Geo. Willis, Mr.  
Horace Willis and Miss Willis,  
Mrs. Geo. Taylor, Gordon  
Zeigler, Miss Bessie Brown and  
Miss Mary Brown.



### INTERPROVINCIAL WEED TRAIN

The Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta in co-operation with the Canadian Pacific Railway, will operate a train of three cars for six weeks in the southern parts of the three provinces.

**The Itinerary in Alberta** begins February 21 and ends March 6.

Two points will be visited each day as seen by the schedule below. All interested in the Control of Weeds, particularly the Provincial Officials, Weed Inspectors, and the like, are invited to attend these discussions.

The train consists of a demonstration car and two lecture cars. The demon-  
stration car, chiefly for the identification of weeds, will have specimens of  
growing weeds, also samples of weed seeds and colored charts, etc. The lecture  
cars will be devoted to discussions of Methods of Control, Costs of Control,  
and the Rehabilitation of the Noxious Weeds. The exhibition of Soil Dressing  
and other Government activities in Manitoba, will also be fully discussed.

Speakers will be present representing the Departments of Agriculture for  
Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Dominion Experimental Farms  
and the Union of Rural Municipalities.

### PLACES AND DATES

Edmonton, 10 a.m., Monday, Feb. 21	Winnipeg, 10 a.m., Monday, Feb. 28
Medicine Hat, 2.30 p.m.	Milk River, 2.30 p.m.
Rethow, 10 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 22	Wainwright, 10 a.m. Tuesday, March 1.
Louise, 2.30 p.m.	Forreston, 2.30 p.m.
Whitlaw, 10 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 23	Etcokton, 10 a.m. Wednesday, Mar. 2.
Bow Island, 2.30 p.m.	Monterey, 2.30 p.m.
Grasy Lake, 10 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 24	Tabel, 2.30 p.m.
Tabel, 2.30 p.m.	MacLeod, 10 a.m. Thursday, March 3.
Lethbridge, 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 25	Piicher, 2.30 p.m.
Calgary, 2.30 p.m.	Calgary, 2.30 p.m. Friday, March 4.
Magrath, 10 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 26	Stavely, 10 a.m. Saturday, March 5.
Grassland, 2.30 p.m.	Grassland, 2.30 p.m.

**HON. G. J. H. MALCOLM,** Minister of Agriculture, Manitoba.

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## Love of The Wild

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(Continued)

Something like a laugh came from the darkness outside, but it was so faint that Amos did not dare draw wall that Amos had laid there among the leaves again.

"They're coming! They're coming out of those traps," accused the voice. "Answer, haven't you?"

"When you hear, isn't it?"

"Thursday you heard me on Boy McTavish when he surprised you?"

"No, I swear I didn't."

"You're lying," snarled the first.

"Holt on, devil! I'll speak!" The trap sprung, and the first boy screeched and my rifle went off by accident. It wasn't pointed his way at all.

The yellow glow of fire flickered through the chinks in the logs, and the first boy lay there, writhing in the trap in agonizing voice.

"We're going to apply the fire. You are going to be rewarded for stealing," Amos said.

"Oh, don't—don't," pleaded Amos. "I won't steal any more if you only tell me what I did wrong."

Slowly the log fell away from the opening and a voice said,

"Broaderock."

The man needed no second invitation. He scrambled out and made a dash for the door. But before Boy McTavish tripped him up and Paisley gripped his windpipe, he was back in the house, lighting the fire and Bill picked him up again.

"Get up," commanded Bill. "Now, get up! What have you got to say, you rascal?"

Broaderock commanded Paisley to the lower regions.

"I can't say a word," he snarled, "an' you can't make me, either."

He struggled and Paisley's hands gripped more deeply into his neck.

"Thank you're mighty strong, Amos, but I can't say a word. You've done somethin', I suppose, in trippin' me up an' holdin' me down. And I can't say a word."

You was scared to git me down, had a chance, wew was?"

"What do you mean by Amos?" asked Paisley, the corners of his mouth twisting. "You don't know what you're talkin' about, do you? Why, man, alive, you can't talk."

"You're too big a coward."

"Well, I was on my feet I'd made you eat some of my grub," he snarled.

"I really thought there was any spunk in it. I let you try grain, but listen, Amos, if you make any break for the woods, Boy there will sure catch you."

"Don't let him go, Bill," warned Boy.

"He gets away now there's no one to tell him he did it. I just want to get a chance to get to him."

You know, and I know, he won't fight. He's too much of a sneak'n coward."

Broaderock turned his malignant face toward the fire. In the yellow light it looked ferocious. He sank on his knees before the fire and poured forth many a bitter curse, though his voice, used to frightening the small child, gave a low growl.

"What is he sayin', Boy?" he asked.

"He says that there are five men tryin' to get into our house," gasped Boy. "Bill, you don't know what they are, but there no time to lose. Let Broaderock alone till another time. I'll see you again. For gawd sake, let's hurry."

Broaderock crept toward the kitchen and Paisley's heavy foot hurried him along.

"Nurse, that you skunk, till we meet again," he cried.

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It was Daff Davie, his fine gash, a tall, thin fellow, with a pair of long, low-swinging twigs. He sank on his knees before the fire and poured forth many a bitter curse, though his voice, used to frightening the small child, gave a low growl.

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## CHAPTER XXIV.

## The Night Attack.

The men ploughed through the timber, pushing aside bushes and trees. The ground was soft with snow now and the darkness was so dense that only their muffled sense of directions made progress at all possible.

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### Appendicitis Prevented Life Lengthened Health Maintained

Thousands Finding Wonderful Benefit in a Simple Home Remedy That Costs But a Quarter.

Doctors say that people keep their health longer than others when there is such disease on record as appendicitis. It is due solely to negligence. If you have constipation, bad breath or headache you need medicine right away. The moment you suspect your bowels are clogged you should take Dr. Hamilton's Pills, the most efficient remedy ever invented against it. I wouldn't have let him go, but he slipped away. I heard him say but I prayed God bless him but he went.

"Dave's all right," cried Paisley, "He came to me and Boy. What?"

"I'm awful glad! Well, wasn't he?" said the big man. "I heard old Joe that he'd been tugging at his head, broke loose, and I heard him mixin' things up in his stomach. I saw him roll over body yellin' that the dog was killin' him. Then the shot was fired—and?"

"Paisley, he was dead."

"His head was bowed upon his breast and his hands were clenched."

"And?" continued McTavish. "I didn't hear poor old Joe after that."

"Poor old Joe," said Boy.

Then, lifting his head, he looked around him, his eyes gleaming with smirking eyes.

"He always liked dark quiet when the星光 slipped through like it's doin' now, no matter if you're a dog or a spirit. Dr. Hamilton's Pills are never sick, never an ache or pain—feel good all the time. They're pain-free and healthy. This you can vasc-

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"Likely. But they'll reckon with us now," turned Paisley, suddenly holding his throat.

A ride rang out on the night and the men heard their voices.

"That's at our place, all right," ground Boy.

"Go on, dad, let's hear the rest of it."

"After that, they came up and pounded on the door. They demanded to know who was there and what you want?" I asked. "You'll find that out soon enough," they answered. "You're a dog or a spirit. None of us are dead. If you don't open the door we'll break it down."

Bill McTavish paused, a catch in his voice.

(To be continued)

see he was awful excited, so I called Glass out. She can understand his language better than I can, and when she heard him say that I scarcely knew what to do. When I was grittin' down the guns and Glass would be tuggin' at his head, broke loose, and I heard him mixin' things up in his stomach. I saw him roll over body yellin' that the dog was killin' him. Then the shot was fired—and?"

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— Official Appointer Rainmaker

Said That Number of Settlers Are Coming From Three Provinces to Strength of Contract.

Final arrangements have been made at Medicine Hat by the United Agricultural Association for the transfer of Ranches from the United States to the frontier of Canada in 1920.

Headfield's operation is a considerable number of settlers from the United States will locate in the vicinity. As

to the contract which has been negotiated, Headfield's is hereby

to construct and build a rail

roadable site, to be chosen by him for operation, to be kept in constant

operation, from the first day of

May, 1921, to the first day of August, 1921, or the end of the first year of the largest possible increased precipitation and above that point of territory of Alberta, Canada, and section

of land at least 100 miles east

with the city of Medicine Hat, Alta., as a center, and the town of Headfield's will still install a standard gauge at place of operations, and two other rail gauges shall be placed in various portions of the district as may be agreed upon by the parties hereto.

The terms of said rail gauges shall determine the average rainfall over the aforesaid district as final in the premises. The amount of the contract is \$8,000.

Profited By War

Estimated Wealth of Great Britain is \$230,000,000,000.

The British Empire profited most

as a result of the war, according to financial records from London.

According to the latest figures of the Savings Banks Association of New York State. The total estimated wealth of the principal countries involved in the war was \$18,900,000,000, against \$10,000,000,000 in 1914.

The total estimated wealth of Great Britain now is

\$30,000,000,000, against \$13,000,000,000 when the war started, and the United States \$300,000,000,000, a gain of \$5,000,000,000 since 1914.

Through Growing.

He—"Do you think you could grow to love me?"

She—"I'm afraid not. You see, I've done growing."

In order to win success a man must

be in a position to grasp opportunity by the back of the neck.

Most men dislike to visit their relatives almost as much as their relatives dislike to have them do it.

Advancements in newspapers were

not general in England until the beginning of the eighteenth century.

Others feed almost exclusively on fish.

It takes a joint of beef to make a bottle of Bovril

## Bovril

NEVER PROFITEERED

Has Not Changed Since 1914.

Same Price. Same Quality. Same Quantity.

### Unique Holiday Plan

Custom Practiced in Denmark Has To Command It.

Canadians learn much from the work, methods, customs, industry and educational system of Denmark, besides how to raise hogs for profit and amusement.

An exchange tells of a very unusual and practical Danish custom for spending summer holidays. This article says that a custom prevails in Denmark which can hardly fail to bring nearer together the residents of the country.

It is common for families whose lives are separated by distance to exchange children for a month.

For example, a mother in Copenhagen sends her ten thousand school children to the rural districts, and exchanges the same number in return.

The Right Spirit.

The London, Ont., unemployed who

are going to technical schools while

in order to impress themselves

as fit subjects for their special

work, are shown the right spirit.

The new period for industry, efficiency,

and skill will get first choice, and

special training will be a greater asset than ever to a worker.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

You Should Take Care of digestion—Take Care because Good Health is largely a matter of Good Digestion. A wise person should use Beecham's Pill every day to help cure and correct stomach disorders. On account of their service and reputation for reliability TAKE BEECHAM'S PILLS.

Largest Sale of any Medicine in the World.

95 Years in Workhouse.

James MacKie, an inmate of Mortella Workhouse, Northumberland, has lived in the institution the last 95 years.

He is 90 years old and has never missed a Christmas dinner.

**MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN LINIMENT**

RHEUMATISM

Lambeth, Scotland, is my other side, and yet Minard's Liniment is the aching spot, and yet quick relief.

Minard's is the remedy

for rheumatism and



## World Happenings Briefly Told

Germans declare the reparation terms desired upon by the Allies as fantastic and impossible.

Lawyers will visit Palestine in the spring according to a report printed by the Evening Standard.

Gas police commissioners will engage the services of a policeman to act when called on.

Decline in wholesale prices is proceeding at a rate of about four per cent per month from the peak.

Outline of policies have been adopted for substantially reducing sugar prices, contingent on the lower production rates.

More than 250,000 children in New York City receive only part-time instruction because school facilities are inadequate.

The first passenger liner to make the trip between Germany and the U.S. is expected to leave Hamburg for New York soon.

A bill, introduced at Washington, would increase salaries of Senators and Representatives from \$7,500 to \$10,000 a year after March 4 next.

Emma Goldman, deported from the U.S. last summer, has reported to have said she'd rather be in jail in the U.S. than in Russia.

A hundred million dollars is the outside figure for reparations which the Dominion may expect from Germany, according to Ottawa sources.

One of the first duties of Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill as colonial secretary, will be the selection of a successor to Mr. J. L. S. Abbott, as Governor-General of Canada.

Joseph Danvers of Guelph, with an average of 96.56, was awarded the first prize in the all-Canada creamery butter competition held in connection with the Western Canada Annual Dairy Convention at Winnipeg.

Dr. J. C. Ferguson, financial adviser to the cabinet of China, who has just arrived in the city, has stated that in the faint districts of China, people live the roadsides, too weak to walk from want of food.



## Keeps Baby's Skin Healthy

If every mother could only realize the danger which lurks in the neglect of chafing and skin irritations she would not take chances on being without Dr. Chase's Ointment to apply after baby's bath.

It arrests the development of eczema and makes the skin soft, smooth and velvety.

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## Poor Outlook For Bolshevism in England

Efforts For World Revolution Not Regarded As Effective In Old Country.

Director of Bolshevik propaganda in European countries met secretly in Bremen, Dec. 26, under the presidency of the Commissar of Finance of Moscow, to discuss plans of greater success of their efforts on behalf of world revolution, says the London Times. All the delegates entered Germany under assumed names and with false passports.

"An English delegate," the newspaper adds, "represented 79 Communist district organizations in England with 20,000 members and 1,219 agents, most of the latter were women." He added, "The Bolsheviks' organization there is not strong in England. He said that the Russian proletariat need not expect support from the English, but that the Communist outlook in Scotland, Ireland and Wales was brighter.

Fader, referring to Pimpernel at "the centre of liaison with French and British State naval power."

Events Related In 3 Days.

Some American Bolsheviks believe it is a wonderful medicine in the treatment of scurvy, rheumatism, rheumatoid arthritis, lameness, neuritis, and all ailments due to cold weather. It can often cure in 1-2 days. At drogists.

The oak is the most common tree in Northern United States.

In Miller's Warren Powder needed the support of testimonials they could be given to mothers who know the great virtue of this excellent medicine.

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## Canned Foods A Blessing

An Acknowledged Expert in All Matters Pertaining to Household Management.

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I met a woman the other day at the market and she was purchasing eighty cents' worth of fresh string beans. These had been shipped from miles to a northern market and were rightly clashing among the luxuries.

"Why don't you buy the canned ones?" I asked her.

"I'd be afraid."

Once in a great while we hear of some unfortunate people made ill by indulging in some canned products. These cases are usually so grossly proves that either it was of inferior quality or that it was food left in the can after it was opened.

Once in a great while, we hear of folks made dangerously ill by a newly discovered bacteria causing what is known as salmonella infection. This poison happens to be present in canned food, it can be absolutely destroyed and the food made perfectly safe to eat by ten minutes heating, the time to be counted from the time the food is taken to heat.

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## A Farming Community First

For All Else the Dominion Must Be a Poor Country.

The census bureau of the United States announces that slightly more than half the population of the republic live in towns and cities. This in a country approximately the size of Canada, situated in a land where more than a hundred million people, and with a continental policy has aimed consistently and powerfully to ean the people off the land and live them in great industrial and commercial centres. It ought to be accepted as the normal condition of society that the people of Canada live upon farms, and must for generations. Before all else the Dominion must be a farming country for many years to come.—Edmonton Bulletin.

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**CHURCH BULLETIN**

Sabbath School and evening service as usual on Sunday. Preacher Rev. J. W. Oliver?

The regular fortnightly service will be held in the Sanderson School at 2:30.

On Friday afternoon the Junior Mission Band will hold their meeting in the church at 2:30 p.m. All girls under twelve invited.

Don't fail to be present on Friday evening at the lantern entertainment when slides dealing with immortal Abraham Lincoln will be shown and some of our United States friends will provide the program.

The people of the Champion community are asked to remember that on Sunday Feb. 20th, Dr. C. E. Bland of Wesley Church Calgary will be the special preacher at the evening service.

**Ford Prices Reduced**

Fordson tractors have been considerably reduced in price. The new price is \$748.00 plus New York exchange F.O.B. Champion. The old price was \$1050. The Ford car has been reduced to \$883.70 delivered to the customer.

Omitted from Campbell's add: All Sateen, Values up to 70c, now 35c per yard.

Ash Wednesday was a public school holiday, and was apparently enjoyed by the pupils of Champion Consolidated.

**Card of Thanks**

Mrs. Miriam Standish and family desire to thank the people of the Champion community for their many expressions of sympathy and kindness shown to them during their recent bereavement.

Joe Bennet spent the week end in Calgary.

Anyone desiring plain or fancy soaping apply to Mrs. Dan Peterson, Champion.

An attempt was made by Champion rinks to recapture the McNaughton cup on Friday night, but the Vulcan rinks skipped by Spooner and Wolfe were too strong for the local rinks. W. A. Orr and F. J. Clapp were the Champion skiers.

Hon. Arthur Meighen says China is dumping foodstuffs in Canada while her own people are starving, and on this ground declines to provide government assistance for the Chinese. It is certainly a peculiar situation.

With the threats of retaliation against States should the Fordney Bill go into operation, one would almost think that the supporters of high tariff in the Dominion would welcome the event in the excuse it would give to boost the tariff. Lethbridge Herald.

Remember the Valentine dance under auspices of the Women's Institute on Monday evening, Feb. 14th.

The South African party, led by Gen. Smuts, has won the election just held in British South Africa.

**Miss Weir Honored**

Miss Weir, late of the Bank of Commerce staff, was presented with a string of pearl beads at a reception and dance held in her honor in Campbell's hall on Friday evening last. Miss Weir made hosts of friends during her residence here, who will regret her departure and trust her return will not be too long delayed.

Mr. Frank Starr has been ill during the week, but is recovering.

Thursday's chinook cleaned up practically everything in the way of ice and snow it was able to reach. In addition it softened the curling ice to such an extent that play had to be suspended. There was water, water everywhere, as usual and mighty little to drink.

Through an error the U.F.A. entertainment and dance was advertised as occurring on Friday, Feb. 16th. It is hoped everyone will note the change in this issue to Wednesday, Feb. 16th. This promises to be one of the biggest gatherings of the season and as the invitation is general everyone should make it a point to be there.

**Big Wheat Crops Are Promised**

A cablegram from the International Institute of Agriculture, gives the production of wheat in Argentina as 184,000,000 bushels, compared with 214,000,000 last year, and a pre-war five years' average of 149,000,000. The wheat crop of Australia is estimated at 147,000,000 bushels as against 44,000,000 last year, and the pre-war average of 90,500,000 bushels. Conditions of the new winter crops have been generally favorable in western Europe, North Africa and Japan, but rain has been lacking in India.

**Electors Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the electors of the Municipal District of Harmony will be held in Campbell's Hall on Monday, Feb. 21st, commencing at one o'clock. Nominations for the councillors to be elected will be taken from three until four o'clock. As many interesting items will likely be discussed a large attendance is anticipated.



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